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In re Appln. of: Elias Russegger et al.

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For: METHOD FOR THE ATTACHMENT OF  
AN ELECTRICAL LEAD WIRE ON A  
SURFACE ELEMENT, AS WELL AS A  
HEATING ELEMENT, ESPECIALLY FOR  
A PLASTIC-SPRAYING DEVICE

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## AMENDMENT

In response to the Office Action mailed March 5, 2010, please amend the application as follows and consider the remarks set forth below.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.

The applicants have calculated a fee of \$440 for independent claims in excess of three. The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of this fee and any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 associated with this paper (including any extension fee required to ensure that this paper is timely filed), or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-1925.

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